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Ted Stevens
200 Page Mill Road
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Subject: Approval of Change in I-30 Escapeway Location and to Text Changes, American Gilsonite Company, Bonanza Mine, M0470010, Tasks 1399 and 1665, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Stevens:

On February 24, 2006, the Division received from the Bureau of Land Management an amendment to your mine plan, but this amendment was not formatted for insertion into the plan. The Division approved this change on March 29, 2006, conditional upon receipt of pages that could be inserted into the plan. These pages were received April 17, 2006, and the Division hereby approves them. A copy of the pages, stamped approved, is enclosed.

The plan for the I-30 Mine was approved March 29, 2006, together with the referenced textual changes, and on December 26, 2006, the Division received an amendment changing the location of the I-30 escapeway. This is simply a change in the location and does not affect the disturbed area acreage or the reclamation surety amount. The Division approves the change which consists of three modified maps. Copies of the maps, stamped approved, are enclosed. These maps are for inclusion in the mine plan.

Thank you for your cooperation in submitting these amendments. If you have questions about this letter, please call Paul Baker at 801-538-5261.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan M. White".

Susan M. White
Mining Program Coordinator
Minerals Regulatory Program

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Enclosure: Copies of mine plan amendments

cc: Stan Perkes, State BLM Office
Jared Jackson, American Gilsonite

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